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1. [] has received a call from Gen. Partridge, G-2, who stated that he had just received a call from Sen. O'Connor,

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[] informed Gen. Partridge that they had [] as a witness before the Committee today [] refused to answer

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questions as to whether he was a Communist and also refused to state the nature of his employment with OSS on the grounds of

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security. The Committee wished to know whether [] was

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justified in this refusal. [] informed me that they were looking into the nature of [] OSS employment, that []

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[] and that there would be no objection to informing the Committee as to the nature of his employment if it did not get too deeply into

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[] able information I would let him know. He stated that they would retain the witness until noon on 15 October. I explained that the old OSS archives were locked up and it might be extremely difficult to find the details.

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2. At the request of [] who was somewhat exercised over recent newspaper articles indicating Sen. McCarran's desire to push the [] case, particularly in view of the DCI's recent comments, [] was particularly upset over the Committee's publication of the [] testimony. I explained that the Committee has always planned to publish this testimony, that I had prior knowledge that it would be published, and that it had appeared on 11 October merely because the printing had been completed at that time.

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